



Diocese of
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Holy Family Catholic Church

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Holy Family
Church



Lenten Mass Schedule

Monday – Thursday 7 A.M. & 6 P.M.
Wednesday 7 A.M., noon, & 6 P.M.
Friday 6:00 P.M.
Saturday Vigil 5:00 P.M.
Sunday: 7:30 A.M & 10:00 A.M. English
5:00 P.M. Creole/French

Devotions

Holy Hour
Wednesday following Holy Mass
Novena Holy Mass to O.L.P.H.
Wednesday..... 7:00 A.M.
Novena Holy Mass to Sacred Heart
First Friday..... 7:00 A.M.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR

Rev. Fr. Modeste Digwou (340) 203-0607

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Fr. Yacob Lonfo Fopa

Administrative Asst.: Ms. Carmen A. White

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Music Director: Mr. Francis Callwood

Sacristans:

- Ms. Silia Erilis
- Ms. Francesca Alcendor
- Mr. Julio Comperè
- Orville "Sparrow" Rouse (weekdays)

Office Hours:

Tuesday – Friday: 9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.
Saturday: 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.
Closed Sunday and Monday.

Mission Statement

The Church of the Holy Family exists to nurture and advance Christ's Eucharistic Unconditional Love to all, through love of God and Neighbor.

Faith and Scripture

We are a Roman Catholic family united in the Grace and peace of Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, and we are a parish who believe and live the word of God as the truth that shepherds us.

Family and Service

We believe family relationship is important and vow to do all we can to champion Christian family values.

Worship and Sacrifice

We build the Kingdom of God's Love by proclaiming His Words, spreading Catholic Devotions, celebrating the Sacraments, and sharing the Eucharist; we surrender our lives to Christ as a sacrifice of praise, laying down our lives as He did.

Summary

We promise to preach what we practice and practice what we preach:
"Love God and love your neighbor as yourself."

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT– YEAR A
MARCH 15, 2026

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WEEKLY REFLECTION

First Reading: 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6
Second Reading: Ephesians 5:8-14
Gospel: John 9:1-41

By Fr. Yacob Lonfo

Beloved in Christ, today we celebrate the Fourth Sunday of Lent, also called Laetare Sunday. Laetare means 'rejoice'. In the middle of our Lenten journey, the Church reminds us that the light of Christ is already shining and that is a reason for joy. In this Sunday's Gospel we accompany the man who was born blind on his journey into the light. The first thing we read in the full version of this Gospel is that Jesus announces that the man is sinless – he has been born blind so that God's glory can be seen at work in him. Then Jesus gives the blind man sight. Notice that the man didn't ask to be healed – this is Jesus' initiative, taking the first step and reaching out in love. That's how Jesus approaches us, too.

When the man returns home there is no rejoicing or welcome from his neighbors and friends. Instead, he is greeted with many questions and much suspicion. They seem blind to what has happened to the man. These same neighbors and friends march the man off to the religious authorities to see what they make of the situation. But they, too, greet the man with many questions and great suspicion and finally drive him away. They, too, are blind to the work of God both in the man and in Jesus who cured him.

Jesus seeks the man out and asks if he believes. The man asks in whom he should believe. Jesus answers, 'in me'. The man, who now sees clearly who Jesus is, believes and worships. The man's whole world has been totally transformed from total darkness into light through the loving action of Jesus. Bit by bit throughout the reading the man has gradually come to realize who Jesus is. At first Jesus is simply 'a man', then 'a prophet', then 'Son of Man' and finally, 'Lord'. We, too, can be blind to the many ways God is present in our lives and in those around us. It can take some time on our journey of faith to realize just who Jesus Christ is and to allow our lives to be filled with Light.

The candles we use in our churches remind us of the vitality and life of Christ which has been entrusted to us. With our minds lit and our hearts warmed by the Spirit of Christ we, too, develop true insight and as God's heart begins to beat within our own, we become light and warmth for each other. May the light of Christ burn strongly within us, amen!

SCRIPTURES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2 & 4, 5-6, 11-12a & 13b;
Jn 4:43-54

TUESDAY: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

WEDNESDAY: Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18;
Jn 5:17-30

THURSDAY: *Solemnity of Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 & 29;
Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a

FRIDAY: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 & 23;
Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

SATURDAY: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; Jn 7:40-53

NEXT SUNDAY: *Fifth Sunday of Lent*
Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Rom 8:8-11;
Jn 11:1-45

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, March 14th

5:00 PM – **Anaj Anthoine** → Birthday blessings rb Urelca
Jn Baptiste

SUNDAY, March 15th

7:30 AM – **Reginald & Kerra Toussaint** → Birthday blessings rb
Joe & Bridget

– **Marlon & Carva Moore, Shahid & Shadette Defoe**
→ God's blessing, guidance, & deliverance rb their
mother, Claudette Defoe

10:00 AM – **Salvatore Cutrona & family** → God's blessings

– **Latoya Gumbs** → In thanksgiving & God's blessing

5:00 PM – **Joseph fils Joseph & Jacki Rafael** → Birthday
blessings rb Silia

– **Geurda Conseillant** → Birthday blessings rb Geurda

MONDAY, March 16th

7:00 AM † **The Holy Souls in Purgatory** → Repose of the Souls

TUESDAY, March 17th

7:00 AM – **John R. Doyle** → In thanksgiving & God's blessings

WEDNESDAY, March 18th

7:00 AM – **Mary Stridiron** → Birthday blessings rb her family

– **Keliesha, Denisha, & Deneisha Blue** → Birthday
blessings rb Eva Donovan

THURSDAY, March 19th

7:00 AM – **Cathleen & John Sullivan** → In thanksgiving & God's
blessings

† **The Holy Souls in Purgatory** → Repose of the Souls

FRIDAY, March 20th

6:00 PM – **Cecil Registe** → Birthday blessings & God's guidance
rb his mother, Ursula

Announcements

Eternal Candle

The Eternal Candle which burns in the Sanctuary of our church, the reminder of the Lord's Presence in the Most Holy Eucharist, will burn from March 14th to March 20th for God's blessing, guidance, and protection for **Victoria Fergusson**, requested by Victoria.



Parishioners/Visitors/Guests: Pardon our dust and any inconveniences you may encounter while we work on installation of the air conditioning. Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

Bishop's Appeal: This Lent, we are called to strengthen our Church and transform lives by joining in acts of mercy. Your support of the Bishop's Appeal aids the hungry and homeless through Catholic Charities and strengthens vital ministries in our Diocese.

Month of March: March is the month of **St. Joseph**.

The Way of the Cross: The Way of the Cross is one of the most profound church devotions and exercises of piety during Lent. Please make it your resolution to attend the Way of the Cross and to fulfill your Sunday obligation by attending Holy Mass. Please join us every day, **6:30 am** and **5:30 pm** for the Stations of the Cross, and Friday evening.

Lenten Season Schedule:

- **Saturday, March 21st, 9:00 am – 2:00 pm: Deanery Pilgrimage**, led by **Fr. Modestus Ugocchukwu Dike**. **Theme: "We are Lands of Hope."**
- **Wednesday, March 25th – Thursday 26th: 6:30 pm Lenten Mission**, with Retreat Master **Fr. Raymond Francis** of Trinidad. **Theme: Spiritual Renewal and Reconciliation: "Seek first the Kingdom of God."**

Raffle Drawing: The Sts. Peter & Paul School raffle drawing will take place on **Friday, March 27, 2026**. Thank you for your continued support.

Next Infant Baptism: Sunday, April 5, 2026 – 10:00 am. Pre-baptismal counseling will take place **March 23rd – 24th at 6:30 p.m.**

2025 Tax Year: If you have not received a Contribution Statement in the past but would like one, please call the Parish Office; it will be mailed or emailed to you upon request.

Wednesday Masses: Every **Wednesday, at noon time (12 o'clock) Mass** will be celebrated, along with the regular 7:00 am Mass.

Cassi Hill: During Lent, Friends of Cassi Hill will not have their regular meeting.

Non-Perishable Food Items: Non-perishable food items will be collected **next weekend** at each Holy Mass during offertory, following the procession after the collection. Proceeds will benefit Catholic Charities and shut-ins of our Parish. We thank you for your generosity.

Parish Information

The Sacrament of Infant Baptism: Infant Baptisms will take place on the **Fourth Sunday** of every month, parents and god-parents must attend two pre-baptismal classes prior to the Baptism. Please register your child.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Classes: RCIA is the journey of faith by which interested persons become members of the Roman Catholic Church. The program instructs adults to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church through Baptism and/or Confirmation and Holy Communion. To register, please call the church office at (340) 775-1650.

CCD Religious Education/Faith Formation: CCD classes take place every Saturday from 9:00 AM - 12 noon.

Sacrament of Penance: Confession is the sacrament that allows us to admit our faults and develop humility, but the most profound part is we get to experience Christ's gift of mercy. Confessions will be on Wednesdays after the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, and on weekends 20 minutes before each Mass.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick: Please call the church office at (340) 775-1650 whenever a family member or friend is seriously ill or hospitalized.

Healing Mass: A healing Mass is held the last Friday of every month at 6:00 pm.

Visiting the Sick: The parish priests visit the sick every Friday. Please call the office if you have a sick or shut-it that you would like added to the list for home visits.

Funerals: All funeral services begin at 10:00 a.m. No funerals are held on weekends. Arrangements must be made with the Church before funeral arrangements with the funeral home. Viewing in church is available, however, we encourage viewing at funeral home.

The Sacrament of Holy Matrimony: Please make arrangements with the Pastor 6 months before your wedding by calling the church office.

Parish Registration: Parishioners who are 18 years and older are encouraged to complete a parish registration form. We would like to maintain an up-to-date listing of all Holy Family parishioners. Registration helps in providing letters of request for proof of church membership. Also, if you have relocated or your mailing address or contact number has changed, please update it at the church office.

Church Cleaning: The church is cleaned every Friday of the Month at 6:30 p.m. Volunteers are needed and welcomed.

Bishop's Appeal

Our goal is \$35,000. We are all encouraged to make this goal.

Catechesis by Fr. Yacob Lonfo

The Eighth Commandment

Parish Life

Stations of the Cross at Magens Bay on Saturday, March 7, 2026

THOU SHALT NOT BEAR FALSE WITNESS AGAINST THY NEIGHBOR (*Ex 20:16; Cf Deut 5:20*) Sins contrary to this commandment are:

Lying is the most direct offense against the truth. The gravity of a lie is measured against the nature of the truth it deforms, the circumstances, the intentions of the one who lies, and the harm suffered by its victims. If a lie is in itself only constitutes a venial sin, it becomes mortal when it does grave injury to the virtues of justice and charity.

False witness and perjury (when it is made publicly, a statement contrary to the truth takes on a particular gravity. In court it become false witness. When it is under oath, it is perjury). Respect for the reputation of persons forbids every attitude and word likely to cause them injury such as rash judgement.

Flattery, adulation, or complaisance encourages and confirms another in malicious acts and perverse conduct. *Adulation* is a grave fault if it makes one an accomplice in another's vices or grave sins. *Adulation* is a venial sin when it only seeks to be agreeable, to avoid evil, to meet a need, or to obtain legitimate advantages.

Detraction and calumny destroys the reputation and honor of one's neighbor. Honor is the social witness given to human dignity, and everyone enjoys a natural right to the honor of his name and reputation and respect.

Boasting or bragging is an offense against truth. So, it is irony pointed at disapproving someone by malicious caricaturing some aspect of his behavior.

Spreading rumors to criticize others, to listen with pleasure to others being criticized; *gossiping*; unjustly dishonoring another person in his presence; rash judgement (firmly believing, without sufficient reason, that someone has some moral defect); revealing secrets; publishing discreditable secrets about others, even if true. Refusing or delaying to restore the good name one has blackened; baseless accusations; groundless suspicions.



Air conditioner work progressing



This Week's Stations of the Cross Schedule:

- Day 22: Mon. March 16th 6:30 am (Early Morning Risers Group)
5:30 pm (Decoration/Cleaning Groups)
- Day 23: Tue. March 17th 6:30 am (Early Morning Risers Group)
5:30 pm (Choir)
- Day 24: Wed. March 18th 6:30 am (Early Morning Risers Group)
5:30 pm (Haitian Community)
- Day 25: Thu. March 19th 6:30 am (Early Morning Risers Group)
5:30 pm (The Dominica Association)
- Day 26: Fri. March 20th 5:30 pm (St. Vincent de Paul Society)
- (NO Friday AM Station or Mass)**
- Day 27: Sat. March 21st 10:00 am (Youth/CCD & Leaders)

Air Conditioning Fund as of March 8, 2026: **\$228,839.75**

Catholic Charities of the VI help the underserved. Gently used clothing, furniture, or mobility aids are always appreciated, as are in-kind services, food products, including vegetables, utilizing our barrel at The Market in Tutu Park Mall. For additional information, contact us at catholiccharitiesvi.org or call 340-777-8518. Thank you!



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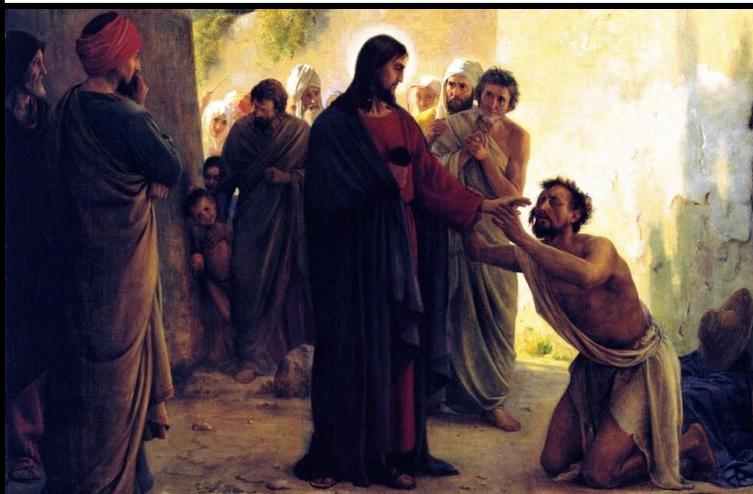
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LA VOIX DU DIMANCHE DE LA COMMUNAUTE HAITIENNE

Katriyèm Dimanch Karèm nan – Ane A

Nimewo 123 Dimanch 15 Mas 2026 La



Meditasyon par Pè Yacob Lonfo

Byeneme nan Kris la, jodi a nou selebre Katriyèm Dimanch Karèm nan, ke yo rele tou Dimanch Laetare. Laetare vle di 'rejwi'. Nan mitan vwayaj Karèm nou an, Legliz la raple nou ke limyè Kris la deja ap klere e se yon rezon pou nou kontan. Nan Levanjil Dimanch sa a, nou akonpaye nonm ki te fèt avèg la nan vwayaj li nan direksyon limyè a. Premye bagay nou li nan vèsyon konplè Levanjil sa a se Jezi anonse ke nonm nan san peche - li fèt avèg pou glwa Bondye ka wè nan li. Apre sa, Jezi bay nonm avèg la vizyon. Remake byen ke nonm nan pa t mande pou l geri - se inisyativ Jezi, li fè premye pa a epi li lonje men l avèk lanmou. Se konsa Jezi pwoche bò kote nou tou.

Lè nonm nan retounen lakay li, pa gen okenn rejwisans oswa akèy nan men vwazen ak zanmi l yo. Okontrè, yo resevwa l ak anpil kesyon ak anpil sispèk. Yo sanble avèg sou sa ki te rive nonm nan. Menm vwazen ak zanmi sa yo mennen nonm nan bay otorite relijye yo pou yo wè sa yo panse de sitiasyon an. Men, yo menm tou, yo salye nonm lan avèk anpil kesyon ak anpil sispèk epi finalman yo chase l ale. Yo menm tou yo avèg sou travay Bondye ni nan nonm lan ni nan Jezi ki te geri l la.

Jezi chèche nonm lan epi li mande l si l kwè. Nonm lan mande nan ki moun li ta dwe kwè. Jezi reponn, 'nan mwen'. Nonm lan, ki kounye a wè klèman kiyès Jezi ye, kwè epi li adore. Tout mond nonm lan te transfòme totalman soti nan fènwa total an limyè grasa aksyon plen lanmou Jezi. Ti pa ti pa pandan lekti a, nonm lan piti piti vin reyalize kiyès Jezi ye. Okòmansman, Jezi se senpleman 'yon nonm', apre sa 'yon pwofèt', apre sa 'Pitit Lòm' epi finalman, 'Senyè'. Nou menm tou, nou ka avèg sou plizyè fason Bondye prezan nan lavi nou ak nan moun ki bò kote nou. Li ka pran yon ti tan nan vwayaj lafwa nou pou nou reyalize kiyès Jezikri ye epi pou nou pèmèt lavi nou ranpli ak Limyè.

Chanjèl nou itilize nan legliz nou yo fè nou sonje vitalite ak lavi Kris la ke yo te konfyè nou. Avèk lespri nou limen ak kè nou chofo pa Lespri Kris la, nou menm tou, nou devlope yon vrè konpreyansyon epi pandan kè Bondye kòmanse bat nan pa nou, nou vin limyè ak chalè youn pou lòt. Se pou limyè Kris la boule fò nan nou, amèn!

REFERANS BIBLIK

Premye Lekti: 1 Samyèl 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a

Sòm Reponsyèl: Sòm 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6

Dezyèm Lekti: Efezyen 5:8-14

Levanjil: Jan 9:1-41

LEKTI EKRI NAN SEMÈN LA

LENDI: Ezayi 65:17-21; Sòm 30:2 & 4, 5-6, 11-12a & 13b;
Jan 4:43-54

MADI: Ezekyèl 47:1-9, 12; Sòm 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jan 5:1-16

MÈKREDI: Ezayi 49:8-15; Sòm 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18;
Jan 5:17-30

JEDI: Solalènite Sen Jozèf, Epouze Vyèj Mari
2 Sam 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Sòm 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 & 29;
Women 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a

VANDREDI: Saj 2:1a, 12-22; Sòm 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 & 23;
Jan 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

SAMDI: Jer 11:18-20; Sòm 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; Jan 7:40-53

PROCHÈN DIMANCH: *Senkyèm Dimanch Karèm nan*
Ezekyèl 37:12-14; Sòm 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8;
Women 8:8-11; Jan 11:1-45

ANONS PAWAS YO

Chandèl p'ap janm fini an

Chandèl Etènèl la ki boule nan Sanktyè legliz nou an, rapèl Prezans Senyè a nan Trè Sen Ekaristi a, pral boule soti 14 mas pou rive 20 mas pou benediksyon, gidans ak pwoteksyon Bondye pou **Victoria Fergusen**, jan Victoria te mande l la.

Pawasyen/Vizite/Envite: Eskize nou pou pousyè nou an ak nenpòt deranjman ou ka rankontre pandan n ap travay sou enstalasyon èkondisyone a. Mèsi pou konpreyansyon ou ak sipò kontinyèl ou.

Apèl Evèk la: Pandan Karèm nan, nou gen apèl pou ranfòse Legliz nou an epi transfòme lavi lè nou patisipe nan zèv mizèrikòd. Sipò ou pou Apèl Evèk la ede moun ki grangou ak moun ki san kay atravè Òganizasyon Charitab Katolik epi ranfòse ministè vital nan Dyosèz nou an.

Mwa Mas: Mas se mwa **Sen Jozèf**.

Chemen Lakwa: Karèm te kòmanse 18 fevriye. Chemen Lakwa a se youn nan devosyon legliz ki pi pwofon ak egzèsis pyete pandan Karèm. Tanpri pran rezolisyon pou ale nan Chemen Lakwa a epi pou ranpli obligasyon dimanch ou a lè w ale nan Sen Mès la. Tanpri vin jwenn nou chak jou, **6:30 am** ak **5:30 pm** pou Chemen Lakwa a, ak vandredi swa.

Orè Chemen Lakwa pou semèn sa a:

- Jou 22: Len. 16 mas 6:30 am (Gwoup Moun k ap Leve Bonè Granmaten)
5:30 pm (Gwoup Dekorasyon/ Netwayaj)
- Jou 23: Madi 17 mas 6:30 am (Gwoup Moun k ap Leve Bonè Granmaten)
5:30 pm (Koral)
- Jou 24: Mèk. 18 mas 6:30 am (Gwoup Moun k ap Leve Bonè Granmaten)
5:30 pm (Kominote Ayisyen an)
- Jou 25: Jedi 19 mas 6:30 am (Gwoup Moun k ap Leve Bonè Granmaten)
5:30 pm (Asosyasyon Dominik la)
- Jou 26: Van. 20 mas 5:30 pm (Sosyete Sen Vensan de Pòl)
(PA GEN Estasyon oubyen Lamès Vandredi maten)
- Jou 27: Sam. 21 mas 10:00 am (Jèn/CCD ak Lidè)

Orè Sezon Karèm nan:

- **Samdi 21 mas**, 9:00 am – 2:00 pm: **Pelerinaj dwayen**, dirije pa **Pè Modestus Ugocchukwu Dike**. Tèm: “**Nou se Tè Espwa.**”
- **Mèkredi – Jedi, 25 – 26 Mas:** Misyon Karèm, avèk Mèt Retrè a, **Pè Raymond Francis**, moun Trinidad. Tèm: Renouvèlman esprityèl ak rekonsilyasyon: “**Chache wayòm Bondye a an premye.**”

Mès Gerizon: Pwochen Mès gerizon an ap fèt **vendredi 27 mas a 6:00 pm** nan Sanktyè a.

Tiraj Tombola: Tiraj tombola Lekòl Sen Pyè ak Sen Pòl la ap fèt **vendredi 27 mas 2026**. Mèsi pou sipò kontinyèl ou.

Pwochen Batèm Tibebe: **Dimanch 5 avril 2026** – 10:00 am.

MÈS ENTANSYON

Entansyon pou Lamès yo se pou benediksyon anivèsè nesans Joseph pitit Joseph ak Jacki Rafael, jan Silia te mande l; epi pou benediksyon anivèsè nesans Geurda Conseillant, jan Geurda te mande l.

POU JENÈS LA

Pwogram CCD chak samdi a 9:00 a.m.

Nou envite jèn yo rantrè nan kèk nan gwoup yo tankou gwoup koral la oswa vin tounen sèvè alter.



KOLEKSYON SEMÈN NAN

ÒF WIKENN, 7 – 8 mas 2026

Òf: \$3,637.65

Sam. 5:00 pm: \$826.65

7:30 am: \$1,622.00

10:00 am: \$1,000.00

5:00 pm: \$815.00

Dezyèm Koleksyon: \$1,226.00

Fon pou Èkondisyone: \$0.00

ÒF SEMÈN: \$54.00

11 mas: \$54.00

Yo ka fè bay sou entènèt sou sitwèb nou an nan:

www.holyfamilystt.com

Mèsi pou jenerozite ou!

NOUVÈL KOMINOTE A

- Reyinyon koral: chak Mèkredi a 6:30 p.m.

- Netwayaj Legliz la pa kominote ayisyen an: chak 1ye vandredi nan mwa a a 6:30 p.m.

Ane fiskal 2025: Si ou pa t resevwa yon Deklarasyon Kontribisyon anvan men ou ta renmen youn, tanpri rele Biwo Pawas la; y ap voye l ba ou pa lapòs oswa pa imèl si ou mande l.

Lamès Mèkredi yo: Chak Mèkredi, y ap selebre yon Lamès **midi (12è)**, ansanm ak Lamès regilye 7è dimaten an.

Cassi Hill: Pandan Karèm, Zanmi Cassi Hill yo pap fè reyinyon regilye yo.

Manje ki pa gate: Nou pral kolekte manje ki pa gate **wikenn pwochen** an nan chak Sen Lamès pandan ofrann, apre pwosyon an apre koleksyon an. Lajan yo pral benefisyè Òganizasyon Charite Katolik ak moun ki fèmèn nan Pawas nou an. Nou remèsye w pou jenewozite w.

Parish Life



Leo P.P. XIV

Pope Leo XIV



Bishop Jerome Feudjio



Parish Administrator
Father Modeste Digwou

WELCOME to our Church. It is our heavenly Father's house. Here you will always find God, arms stretched out; 'Well done, good and faithful servant. Enter into my joy.'

Come reverently, pray quietly, sing joyfully, listen attentively, give cheerfully, and come back gladly. Remain in Church after Mass for some personal quiet time with the Lord, or exit quietly for fellowship and sharing. Whether you are a Registered Parishioner, new to our community, or a visitor, WELCOME!

Parish Pastoral Council

Parish Administrator: Fr. Modeste Digwou

Pastoral Team: Fr. Yacob Lonfo

Chair: Andrea Shillingford

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Treasurer: Cydrenia Ferness

Pastor's Advisors: Orville "Sparrow" Rouse
Felicine "Baby" Marcellin

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Yvonne Brutus	Vilson By

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Silia Erilis

Mona Bedminster

Carmen White

Vincia St. Jean

Oliver "Bobby" Williams

Francis Callwood

Michelle Stout

Decoration Committee

Viola Williams

Hilda Celestine

Silia Erilis

Angele Lundy

Oliver "Bobby" Williams

McFarlane Babulal

Gift Shop Hours:

- Wednesday: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
- Saturday: 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM
- Sunday: after the 7:30 AM and 10:00 AM Masses

Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me.

Blood of Christ, inebriate me. Water from the side of Christ, wash me.

Passion of Christ, strengthen me. O good Jesus, hear me.

Within Thy sacred wounds hide me. Suffer me not to be separated from Thee. From the wicked enemy defend me. In the hour of my death call me and bid me come to Thee that with Thy Saints I may praise Thee forever and ever. **Amen.**

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEKEND OFFERINGS, March 7 – March 8, 2026

Offering: \$3,637.65

Sat. 5:00 PM: \$826.65

7:30 AM: \$1,622.00

10:00 AM: \$1,000.00

5:00 PM: \$189.00

Second Collection: \$1,226.00

Air Conditioning Fund: \$0.00

WEEKDAY OFFERINGS: \$54.00

3/11: \$54.00

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Easter Offering	April 4-5
Restoration Fund	April 4-5
Bishop's Appeal	April 11-12

Upcoming Event Dates at Columban Hall

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| • Saturday, March 21 | • Sunday, April 5 |
| • Saturday, March 28 | • Saturday, April 11 |
| • Tuesday, March 31 | • Sunday, April 12 |

Pray For the Sick & Shut-ins

OFF ISLAND: Signorah Baron, Helen Bruney, Leon Bryan, Olivia Gumbs, Mercedes Hodge, Mary Lewis, Veronica Sealey, Joseph Toussaint

AT HOME: Malaine Alexander, St. Helaire Antoine, Carol Baron, François Baron, Philomen Baron, Madelene Bastien, James Bellot, Alix Bourdeau, Rose Celestine, Baby Elizabeth Dolphin, Maggie Dolphin, Anthony Estime, Magdalene Felix, Winifred Garfield, John George, John & Norma Gimenez, Meraldo C. Gonzales, Vernelle Gumbs, Francis & Henrietta JohnBattiste, Owen Johnrose, Thomas Johnson, Marie Joseph, Bernice Knight, Cleopha Rawlings, Wende Rouse, Evelyn Simon, Paquita Steele, Iona Vanterpool.

(Please call the Parish Office if you are being admitted to the hospital or require Communion or Anointing of the Sick.)

Church Attendance:

329 persons attended Holy Mass last weekend.

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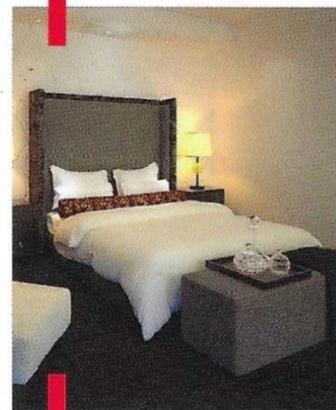
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